Remarks

Reconsideration of this Application is respectfully requested.

Claims 2 and 6-26 are pending in the application, with claims 9, 14, 15, 16, 21

and 26 being the independent claims.

Based on the following remarks, Applicants respectfully request that the

Examiner reconsider all outstanding objections and rejections and that they be

withdrawn.

Rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 102

Claims 2, 7-10, 12-17, 19-22 and 24-26 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e)

as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 6,415,316 to Van Der Meer et al. (hereinafter

"Van Der Meer"). For the reasons set forth below, Applicants respectfully traverse this

rejection.

Claim 26 recites in part:

> (3)   invoking said bookmark, thereby navigating
> to said first Web page;
> (4)   reviewing an automatic channel form that
> was pre-populated with at least a URL of said second Web
> page, said URL having been determined via interaction
> with a browser, *said automatic channel form generated by*
> *a script in said first Web page in response to step (3)*;

(emphasis added).

Van Der Meer appears to teach a method and apparatus to create an online diary

containing multimedia references to contents of Websites (*see* Abstract of Van Der

Meer). Van Der Meer goes on to describe diary applet 112 generating one or more pages

of the diary in HTML in accordance with the cover, content, and configuration

information. The HTML is displayed as a diary page by the browser 110 (*see* Van Der

Meer at col. 9, lines 7-10). The Office Action relies on Van Der Meer to teach an

automatic channel form generated by a script in a first Web page in response to invoking

a bookmark and navigating to the first Web page. However, as will be explained below,

Van der Meer does not teach or suggest this feature.

Page 7 of the Office Action states

> ...said automatic channel form generated by a script in said
> first Web page in response to step (3) (see col.2, lines 52-
> 56:"JavaScript");

However, the section of Van Der Meer cited by the Examiner states:

> A downloadable content object on a content provider
> Website has an associated executable program, such as a
> JavaScript, to aid in placing a reference to the content into
> the diary as discussed below in connection with FIGS. 5(a)
> and 5(b).

(*see* Van Der Meer at col. 2, lines 52-56).

Van Der Meer merely describes an executable program, such as a JavaScript, for

adding a reference to content into an online diary. However, the script described by Van

Der Meer is used to only add a reference to content into an online diary. The script

described by Van Der Meer is *not* used to generate an automatic channel form. Thus,

Van Der Meer fails to teach *an automatic form generated by a script in a first Web*

page. Additionally, Van Der Meer fails to describe invoking a bookmark that in turn

causes the executable JavaScript program to generate an automatic channel form. Thus,

Van Der Meer also fails to teach generating an automatic channel form by a script *in*

response to invoking a bookmark.

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Since Van Der Meer fails to teach or suggest "said automatic channel form generated by a script in said first Web page in response to step (3)" as recited in claim 26, it cannot anticipate that claim.   For at least similar reasons as presented above with respect to claim 26, and further in view of their own respective features, independent claims 9, 14-16 and 21 are also patentable over Van Der Meer.   Furthermore, dependent claims 2, 7, 8, 10, 12, 13, 17, 19, 20, 22, 24 and 25 are also not anticipated by Van Der Meer for at least the same reasons as their respective independent claims from which they depend and further in view of their own respective features.   Reconsideration and withdrawal are respectfully requested.

Rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 103

Claims 6, 11, 18 and 23 under rejected 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Van Der Meer in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,182,113 to Narayanaswami ("Narayanaswami").   For the reasons set forth below, Applicants respectfully traverse this rejection.

As described above, Van Der Meer does not teach each and every feature of independent claims 9, 16, 21 and 26.   Narayanaswami fails to solve the deficiencies of Van Der Meer with respect to independent claims 9, 16, 21 and 26.   Claims 6, 11, 18 and 23 depend either directly or indirectly from one of independent claims 9, 16, 21 and 26 and are thus patentable for at least the same reason as their respective independent claims and further in view of their own respective features.   Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection is requested.
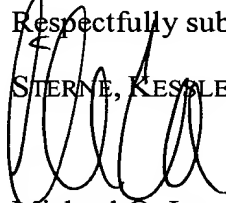
Conclusion

All of the stated grounds of objection and rejection have been properly traversed, accommodated, or rendered moot. Applicants therefore respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider all presently outstanding objections and rejections and that they be withdrawn. Applicants believe that a full and complete reply has been made to the outstanding Office Action and, as such, the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Amendment and Reply is respectfully requested.

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